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The WICHE Student Exchange Programs

STATISTICAL REPORT
ACADEMIC YEAR 1984-85

WICHE

Improving Education In The West

WICHE AND STUDENT EXCHANGE

The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) came into being in 1953 through action in the eleven western states and the then territories of Alaska and Hawaii, along with action by the U.S. Congress, in establishing a regional compact "to provide acceptable and efficient educational facilities to meet the needs of the Western Region of the United States of America." Motivating this significant action was a proposed program, to be arranged by WICHE through contractual agreements with institutions offering graduate and professional programs and with the compacting states, "to provide adequate services and facilities of graduate and professional education for the citizens of the respective compacting states or territories."

WICHE's Professional Student Exchange Program (PSEP) today makes it possible for students in twelve "sending" states to enroll in any of sixteen professional fields in another state when that field of study is not available in the home state. Through PSEP, the student receives some degree of preference in admission and pays a reduced tuition--resident tuition at a public institution or approximately one-third of the standard tuition at a private school--while the student's home state pays a support fee, through WICHE, to the receiving institution. The support fee is a fee for service which, taken with the tuition amount paid by the student is related to educational costs in each of the several fields.

The Professional Student Exchange Program was created by university presidents, legislators, and governors who faced very practical and urgent fiscal and manpower problems. A number of the states needed physicians, dentists, veterinarians and other professionals and found that their students were unable, for many reasons, to attend schools in the states that had schools in their fields. PSEP was a practical, cost-efficient means of providing access for residents of "have-not" states and for helping assure an adequate supply of professional manpower in those states. It continues to serve those purposes. But PSEP serves "receiving states" also--it helps many programs achieve a size that permits efficient operation and a higher quality of program for residents of the sponsoring state; it provides a mix of students from other, often very different, states who need no subsidy from taxpayers of the receiving state; it brings into the state long-term "visitors" who contribute to the states' economies in numerous ways and who, in some cases, remain to contribute in future years. Most of the states in fact have the benefits of both "senders" and "receivers;" only California does not send students in at least one field; only Alaska does not receive. Currently some 1,341 students are enrolled in 112 professional programs in the sixteen fields--a remarkable extension of opportunity both for states and for students, made possible through a commitment to interstate cooperation.

In this annual statistical report, Tables 1 through 5 provide information concerning the fields available in PSEP, support fees, and number of participating students, with detail by field, state, and receiving program. Thereafter the report presents information about other programs of student exchange now available through WICHE. A brochure describing the Professional Student Exchange Program and listing available programs in the sixteen exchange fields, or other information concerning the Program, may be obtained from the Student Exchange Program office at the address on the back cover.

TABLE 1

Professional Student Exchange Program

Summary of Enrollment and Fees for Purposes of Comparison

PROFESSIONAL FIELD	NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED 1983-84	SUPPORT FEE RATE	1984-85	SUPPORT FEE RATE	1985-86 SUPPORT FEE RATE	1986-87 SUPPORT FEE RATE
Medicine	83	$20,000	90	$21,000	$21,500	$22,000
Dentistry	205	10,500	174	10,500	10,800	11,100
Veterinary Medicine	345	13,100	345	13,600	13,900	14,300
Physical Therapy	69	4,100	67	4,200	4,300	4,400
Occupational Therapy	64	3,500	53	3,700	3,800	3,900
Optometry	198	5,600	192	5,700	5,900	6,100
Podiatry	18	6,200	15	6,500	6,700	6,900
Forestry	23	3,000	25	3,200	3,300	3,400
Graduate Library Studies	37	4,000	45	4,000	4,100	4,200
Law	213	3,800	203	4,000	4,100	4,200
Pharmacy	17	4,400	20	4,700	4,800	4,900
Graduate Nursing Education	12	5,800	11	5,800	6,000	6,200
Public Health	21	4,900	17	4,900	5,000	5,100
Architecture	27	3,200	24	3,200	3,300	3,400
Maritime Technology	5	7,300	7	7,700	7,900	8,100
Osteopathic Medicine	40	9,000	53	9,500	9,700	9,900
TOTAL STUDENTS	1,377		1,341			
TOTAL SUPPORT FEES	$11,702,732		$11,927,290			

PARTICIPATING PROGRAMS ACTUALLY RECEIVING PSEP STUDENTS

	1983-84	1984-85
Programs in WICHE Region	110	107
Programs Out of Region	5	5
TOTAL PROGRAMS	115	112

IN-REGION PROGRAMS PREPARED TO TAKE WICHE STUDENTS

Number of Programs:	Public - 101	Private - 40	Total - 141
Number of Institutions:	Public - 35	Private - 21	Total - 56

TABLE 2

Professional Student Exchange Program
Student and Fee Totals, All Fields, Fall 1984

STATE	NUMBER STUDENTS SENT	TOTAL FEES PAID	NUMBER STUDENTS RECEIVED		TOTAL FEES RECEIVED	
			PUBLIC	PRIVATE	PUBLIC	PRIVATE
Alaska	288	$1,795,875	--	--	$ --	$ --
Arizona	159	1,803,333	35	--	244,200	--
California	--	--	80	291	550,466	2,529,752
Colorado	33	188,100	297	28	3,710,761	89,127
Hawaii	107	821,033	9	--	68,413	--
Idaho	43	454,652	12	--	110,400	--
Montana	137	1,857,591	12	--	37,534	--
Nevada	125	1,048,949	7	--	147,000	--
New Mexico	125	1,109,344	20	--	369,934	--
Oregon	87	426,348	93	183	913,832	937,250
Utah	73	812,200	43	--	542,322	--
Washington	26	148,200	87	67	627,899	210,400
Wyoming	138	1,461,665	2	--	8,000	--
Out of Region	--	--	46	29	546,500	283,500

TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS REPRESENTED	1,341
TOTAL FEES REPRESENTED	$11,927,290

TABLE 3

Professional Student Exchange Program
Enrollment and Fees

STATE	MED	DENT	V.M.	P.T.	O.T.	OPT	POD	FOR	LIDR	LAW	PHARM	NURS	P.H.	ARCH	M.T.	OSTEO	TOTALS
ALASKA	16 336,000	15 170,932	20 272,000		6 17,767	5 28,500		5 11,200	8 26,666	162 648,167	6 28,200	6 28,131	10 35,379	11 30,933	5 38,500	13 123,000	288 1,795,875
ARIZONA		49 535,500	76 1,033,600		7 27,133	13 74,100										14 133,000	159 1,803,333
CALIFORNIA																	0
COLORADO						33 188,100											33 188,100
HAWAII		20 220,500	23 312,800	13 57,200	16 34,833	20 114,000	1 6,500				14 75,200						107 821,033
IDAHO	18 321,562	3 22,500		10 46,200	2 7,400	10 57,000											43 454,652
MONTANA	40 825,224	9 101,500	51 693,600		2 7,400	23 131,100	3 19,500						1 3,257			8 76,000	137 1,857,591
NEVADA		34 427,000	29 343,200	6 30,800		14 79,800			1 5,333	41 162,816							125 1,048,949
NEW MEXICO		9 84,960	52 707,200		7 19,001	8 45,600		13 35,734	12 35,998			3 17,400	6 22,868			15 140,583	125 1,109,344
OREGON				34 157,600	9 23,583	23 131,100	3 19,500		13 50,665						2 15,400	3 28,500	87 426,348
UTAH		6 70,000	46 612,000			16 91,200	6 39,000										73 812,200
WASHINGTON						26 148,200											26 148,200
WYOMING	16 336,000	29 304,500	49 666,400	4 21,000	4 14,800	1 5,700	2 13,000	7 19,200	11 29,998			2 11,600		13 39,467			138 1,461,665
TOTALS	90 1,818,776	174 1,937,392	346 4,640,800	67 312,800	53 151,917	192 1,094,400	15 97,500	25 66,134	46 148,660	203 810,983	20 103,400	11 57,131	17 61,514	24 70,400	7 53,900	53 501,583	1,341 11,927,290

TABLE 4

Professional Student Exchange Program
Student Distribution and Fee Payments by Field

PSEP: Medicine

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL															TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	ARIZ	LL	STAN	UCD	UCI	UCLA	UCSD	UCSF	USC	COLO	HAW	NEV	UNM	ORE	UTAH		
ALASKA	3	5	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	2	1	1	--	--	16	$ 336,000
IDAHO	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	18	18	321,552
MONTANA	1	3	1	--	--	1	--	--	8	--	--	5	13	1	7	40	825,224
WYOMING	3	--	--	--	--	1	2	--	1	4	--	1	3	1	--	16	336,000
TOTALS	7	8	2	--	--	2	2	--	10	6	2	7	17	2	25	90	$1,818,776

PSEP: Dentistry

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL								OUT OF REGION	TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	LL	UCLA	UCSF	UOP	USC	COLO	ORE	WASH			
ALASKA	2	--	--	5	1	--	4	3	X	15	$ 170,932
ARIZONA	6	5	1	10	13	1	10	3	X	49	535,500
HAWAII	1	3	2	3	2	1	5	3	X	20	220,500
IDAHO	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	22,500
MONTANA	--	--	--	2	--	1	4	2	X	9	101,500
NEVADA	2	3	--	20	2	1	6	--	X	34	427,000
NEW MEXICO	3	--	--	--	1	5	--	--	X	9	84,960
UTAH	--	--	--	2	1	--	2	1	X	6	70,000
WYOMING	--	--	--	--	2	1	3	--	23	29	304,500
TOTALS	14	11	3	42	22	10	34	12	26	174	$1,937,392

PSEP: Veterinary Medicine

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL					OUT OF REGION	TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATES
				WOI*				
	UCD	CSU	TDA*	OSU*	WSU*			
ALASKA	--	11	3	4	2	--	20	$ 272,000
ARIZONA	--	63	--	5	7	1	76	1,033,600
HAWAII	--	17	--	3	3	X	23	312,800
MONTANA	--	39	2	6	4	X	51	693,600
NEVADA	--	12	--	--	--	17	29	343,200
NEW MEXICO	--	44	--	7	1	X	52	707,200
UTAH	--	33	2	7	3	X	45	612,000
WYOMING	--	28	--	--	2	19	49	666,400
TOTALS	--	247	7	32	22	37	345	$4,640,800

* Through the Washington-Oregon-Idaho (WOI) Program.

PSEP: Pharmacy

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL											TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	ARIZ	UOP	USC	COLO	ISU	MONT	UNM	OSU	UTAH	WSU	WASH	WYO	
ALASKA	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	2	--	--	2	--	6	$ 28,200
HAWAII	--	5	5	3	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	14	75,200
TOTALS	--	6	5	4	--	--	--	3	--	--	2	--	20	$ 103,400

PSEP: Physical Therapy

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL													TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	CSF	CSH	CHILD	LL	STAN	USCF	USC	COLO	UPH	PACU	UTAH	UPS	WASH		
ALASKA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0	$ -0-
HAWAII	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	1	2	2	13	57,200
IDAHO	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	6	--	3	10	46,200
NEVADA	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	2	3	--	--	6	30,800
OREGON	--	--	--	3	2	--	3	1	--	18	--	4	3	34	157,600
WYOMING	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	1	--	--	4	21,000
TOTALS	--	--	--	4	2	--	5	1	2	28	11	6	8	67	$ 312,800

PSEP: Occupational Therapy

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL						TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	LL	JOSE	USC	CSU	UPS	WASH		
ALASKA	--	--	--	2	2	2	6	$ 17,767
ARIZONA	1	--	--	2	3	1	7	27,133
HAWAII	--	--	1	1	14	--	16	34,833
IDAHO	--	--	--	1	--	1	2	7,400
MONTANA	--	--	--	1	1	--	2	7,400
NEW MEXICO	--	1	--	5	1	--	7	19,001
OREGON	--	--	1	--	7	1	9	23,583
WYOMING	--	--	--	4	--	--	4	14,800
TOTALS	1	1	2	16	28	5	53	$151,917

PSEP: Podiatry

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	CCPM	
ALASKA	0	$ -0-
HAWAII	1	6,500
MONTANA	3	19,500
NEW MEXICO	0	-0-
OREGON	3	19,500
UTAH	6	39,000
WYOMING	2	13,000
TOTALS	15	$97,500

PSEP: Optometry

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL			TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	SCOPT	UCB	PACU		
ALASKA	--	1	4	5	$ 28,500
ARIZONA	7	1	5	13	74,100
COLORADO	12	4	17	33	188,100
HAWAII	5	2	13	20	114,000
IDAHO	6	--	4	10	57,000
MONTANA	3	3	17	23	131,100
NEVADA	11	--	3	14	79,800
NEW MEXICO	--	5	3	8	45,600
OREGON	1	4	18	23	131,100
UTAH	13	2	1	16	91,200
WASHINGTON	3	1	22	26	148,200
WYOMING	X	1	X	1	5,700
TOTALS	61	24	107	192	$1,094,400

PSEP: Maritime Technology

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	CMA	
ALASKA	5	$38,500
OREGON	2	15,400
TOTALS	7	$53,900

PSEP: Osteopathic Medicine

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL	OUT OF REGION	TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	COMP			
ALASKA	13	X	13	$123,500
ARIZONA	2	12	14	133,000
MONTANA	8	X	8	76,000
NEW MEXICO	15	X	15	140,583
OREGON	3	X	3	28,500
TOTALS	41	12	53	$501,583

PSEP: Public Health

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL							TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	LL	UCB	UCLA	COLO	HAW	UTAH ST	WASH		
ALASKA	--	2	--	--	3	--	5	10	$35,379
MONTANA	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	3,267
NEW MEXICO	--	1	1	--	--	--	4	6	22,868
OREGON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0	-0-
TOTALS	--	3	1	--	3	--	10	17	$61,514

PSEP: Law

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL															
	ASU	ARIZ	CAWST	GGATE	PEPP	SWSTN	UCB	UCD	HSTGS	UCLA	UOP	USD	USF	SCLRA	USC	COLO
ALASKA	2	6	4	2	3	--	4	3	5	--	8	4	1	2	1	2
NEVADA	--	2	--	1	1	1	--	2	2	2	10	1	1	8	3	--
TOTALS	2	8	4	3	4	1	4	5	7	2	18	5	2	10	4	2

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL											TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	DU	IDA	MONT	UNM	L&C	ORE	WWET	UTAH	GONZ	UPS	WASH	WYO	
ALASKA	7	1	1	1	18	11	25	3	13	20	13	2	162	$648,167
NEVADA	1	--	--	--	--	--	5	1	--	--	--	--	41	162,816
TOTALS	8	1	1	1	18	11	30	4	13	20	13	2	203	$810,983

PSEP: Forestry

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL										TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	NAU	ARIZ	UCB	CSU	IDA	MONT	OSU	UTAH ST	WSU	WASH		
ALASKA	--	--	--	2	1	--	1	--	--	1	5	$11,200
NEW MEXICO	5	--	--	1	--	3	3	1	--	--	13	35,734
WYOMING	--	--	--	3	--	3	--	1	--	--	7	19,200
TOTALS	5	--	--	6	1	6	4	2	--	1	25	$66,134

PSEP: Graduate Library Studies

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL								TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	ARIZ	JOSE	UCB	UCLA	USC	DU	HAW	WASH		
ALASKA	--	1	2	--	--	1	3	1	8	$ 26,666
NEVADA	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	5,333
NEW MEXICO	5	--	--	--	--	7	--	--	12	35,998
OREGON	--	1	--	--	--	5	--	7	13	50,665
WYOMING	2	--	--	--	--	7	1	1	11	29,998
TOTALS	7	2	3	--	--	20	4	9	45	$148,660

PSEP: Graduate Nursing Education

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL													TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	ASU	ARIZ	CSF	CSLB	CSLA	LL	UCLA	UCSF	COLO	HAW	MSU	ORE	WASH		
ALASKA	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	4	6	$28,131
NEW MEXICO	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	--	--	--	--	3	17,400
WYOMING	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	2	11,600
TOTALS	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	4	--	1	--	4	11	$57,131

PSEP: Architecture

SENDING STATE	RECEIVING SCHOOL											TOTAL NO. STUDENTS	TOTAL FEES PAID BY SENDING STATE
	ASU	ARIZ	UCB	USC	COLO	HAW	IDA	MSU	UNM	ORE	UTAH	WASH	
ALASKA	2	--	1	--	--	--	3	1	--	4	--	--	11	$30,933
WYOMING	1	3	--	--	1	--	--	3	--	3	1	1	13	39,467
TOTALS	3	3	1	--	1	--	3	4	--	7	1	1	24	$70,400

TABLE 5

Professional Student Exchange Program
Receipt of Support Fees by States and Institutions

	INSTITUTION	SUPPORT FEES BY FIELD	SCHOOL TOTAL	STATE TOTAL
ARIZONA				$ 244,200
ASU	Arizona State University		$ 17,600	
	Law	$ 8,000		
	Nursing	0		
	Architecture	9,600		
NAU	Northern Arizona University		16,000	
	Forestry	16,000		
ARIZ	University of Arizona		210,600	
	Medicine	147,000		
	Forestry	0		
	Library Studies	22,000		
	Law	32,000		
	Pharmacy	0		
	Nursing	0		
	Architecture	9,600		
CALIFORNIA				$3,080,218
	PUBLIC SCHOOLS: Total $550,466			
CMA	California Maritime Academy		53,900	
	Maritime Technology	53,900		
CSF	California State University, Fresno		5,800	
	Physical Therapy	0		
	Nursing	5,800		
CSLB	California State University, Long Beach		0	
	Nursing	0		
CSLA	California State University, Los Angeles		0	
	Nursing	0		
CSN	California State University, Northridge		0	
	Physical Therapy	0		
JOSE	San Jose State University		9,700	
	Occupational Therapy	3,700		
	Library Studies	6,000		
UCB	University of California, Berkeley		183,366	
	Optometry	136,800		
	Forestry	0		
	Library Studies	12,666		
	Law	16,000		
	Public Health	14,700		
	Architecture	3,200		
UCD	University of California, Davis		20,000	
	Medicine	0		
	Veterinary Medicine	0		
	Law	20,000		
HSTGS	University of California, Hastings		28,000	
	Law	28,000		
UCI	University of California, Irvine		0	
	Medicine	0		
UCLA	University of California, Los Angeles		179,400	
	Medicine	42,000		
	Dentistry	115,500		
	Library Studies	0		
	Law	8,000		
	Nursing	0		
	Public Health	4,900		
UCSD	University of California, San Diego		42,000	
	Medicine	42,000		
UCSF	University of California, San Francisco		37,300	
	Medicine	0		
	Dentistry	31,500		
	Physical Therapy	0		
	Nursing	5,800		

	INSTITUTION	SUPPORT FEES BY FIELD	SCHOOL TOTAL	STATE TOTAL
	PRIVATE SCHOOLS: Total $2,529,752			
CCPM	California College of Podiatric Medicine		$ 97,500	
	Podiatry	$ 97,500		
CAWST	California Western School of Law		16,000	
	Law	16,000		
CHILD	Children's Hospital of Los Angeles		0	
	Physical Therapy	0		
COMP	College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific		387,583	
	Osteopathic Medicine	387,583		
GGATE	Golden Gate University		12,000	
	Law	12,000		
LL	Loma Linda University		339,533	
	Medicine	168,000		
	Dentistry	147,000		
	Physical Therapy	19,600		
	Occupational Therapy	4,933		
	Nursing	0		
	Public Health	0		
PEPP	Pepperdine University		16,000	
	Law	16,000		
SCOPT	Southern California College of Optometry		347,700	
	Optometry	347,700		
SWSTN	Southwestern University		4,950	
	Law	4,950		
STAN	Stanford University		50,400	
	Medicine	42,000		
	Physical Therapy	8,400		
UOP	University of the Pacific		682,600	
	Dentistry	574,000		
	Law	71,000		
	Pharmacy	37,600		
USD	University of San Diego		20,000	
	Law	20,000		
USF	University of San Francisco		8,000	
	Law	8,000		
SCLRA	University of Santa Clara		38,000	
	Law	38,000		
USC	University of Southern California		509,486	
	Medicine	201,120		
	Dentistry	231,000		
	Physical Therapy	28,000		
	Occupational Therapy	9,866		
	Library Studies	0		
	Law	16,000		
	Pharmacy	23,500		
	Architecture	0		
COLORADO				$3,799,888
	PUBLIC SCHOOLS: Total $3,710,761			
CSU	Colorado State University		3,429,101	
	Veterinary Medicine	3,359,200		
	Occupational Therapy	55,501		
	Forestry	14,400		
COLOB	University of Colorado at Boulder		26,800	
	Law	8,000		
	Pharmacy	18,800		
COLOD	University of Colorado at Denver		3,200	
	Architecture	3,200		

	INSTITUTION	SUPPORT FEES BY FIELD	SCHOOL TOTAL	STATE TOTAL
COLOHSC	University of Colorado Health Sciences Center		$ 251,660	
	Medicine	$126,000		
	Dentistry	95,460		
	Physical Therapy	7,000		
	Nursing	23,200		
	Public Health	0		
	PRIVATE SCHOOLS: Total $89,127			
DU	University of Denver		89,127	
	Library Studies	55,994		
	Law	33,133		
HAWAII				$ 68,413
HAW	University of Hawaii at Manoa		68,413	
	Medicine	42,000		
	Library Studies	16,000		
	Nursing	0		
	Public Health	10,413		
	Architecture	0		
IDAHO				$ 110,400
ISU	Idaho State University		0	
	Pharmacy	0		
IDA	University of Idaho		110,400	
	Veterinary Medicine (WOI Program)	95,200		
	Forestry	1,600		
	Law	4,000		
	Architecture	9,600		
MONTANA				$ 37,534
MSU	Montana State University		18,600	
	Nursing	5,800		
	Architecture	12,800		
MONT	University of Montana		18,934	
	Forestry	14,934		
	Law	4,000		
	Pharmacy	0		
NEVADA				$ 147,000
NEV	University of Nevada		147,000	
	Medicine	147,000		
NEW MEXICO				$ 369,934
UNM	University of New Mexico		369,934	
	Medicine	354,734		
	Physical Therapy	11,200		
	Law	4,000		
	Pharmacy	0		
	Architecture	0		
OREGON				$1,851,082
	PUBLIC SCHOOLS: Total $913,832			
OSU	Oregon State University		458,900	
	Veterinary Medicine (WOI Program)	435,200		
	Forestry	9,600		
	Pharmacy	14,100		
OHSU	Oregon Health Sciences University		394,932	
	Medicine	42,000		
	Dentistry	352,932		
	Nursing	0		
ORE	University of Oregon		60,000	
	Law	44,000		
	Architecture	16,000		

	INSTITUTION	SUPPORT FEES BY FIELD	SCHOOL TOTAL	STATE TOTAL
	PRIVATE SCHOOLS: Total $937,250			
L&C	The Lewis and Clark College		$ 72,950	
	Law	$ 72,950		
PACU	Pacific University		744,300	
	Physical Therapy	134,400		
	Optometry	609,900		
WMET	Willamette University		120,000	
	Law	120,000		
UTAH				$ 542,322
UTAH	University of Utah		535,922	
	Medicine	464,922		
	Physical Therapy	51,800		
	Law	16,000		
	Pharmacy	0		
	Architecture	3,200		
UTAH ST	Utah State University		6,400	
	Forestry	6,400		
	Public Health	0		
WASHINGTON				$ 838,299
	PUBLIC SCHOOLS: Total $627,899			
WASH	University of Washington		328,699	
	Dentistry	126,000		
	Physical Therapy	33,600		
	Occupational Therapy	17,267		
	Forestry	3,200		
	Library Studies	36,000		
	Law	52,000		
	Pharmacy	9,400		
	Nursing	16,531		
	Public Health	31,501		
	Architecture	3,200		
WSU	Washington State University		299,200	
	Veterinary Medicine (WOI Program)	299,200		
	Forestry	0		
	Pharmacy	0		
	PRIVATE SCHOOLS: Total $210,400			
GONZ	Gonzaga University		50,950	
	Law	50,950		
UPS	University of Puget Sound		159,450	
	Physical Therapy	18,800		
	Occupational Therapy	60,650		
	Law	80,000		
WYOMING				$ 8,000
WYO	University of Wyoming		8,000	
	Law	8,000		
	Pharmacy	0		
OUT OF REGION				$ 830,000
CREIGH	Creighton University		169,500	
	Dentistry	169,500		
KCOM	Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine		114,000	
	Osteopathic Medicine	114,000		
KSU	Kansas State University		272,000	
	Veterinary Medicine	272,000		
NEB	University of Nebraska		94,500	
	Dentistry	94,500		
OHIO	Ohio State University		180,000	
	Veterinary Medicine	180,000		
	TOTAL RECEIPTS OF SUPPORT FEES			$11,927,290

Regional Graduate Programs

Through the Regional Graduate Programs (RGP), the cooperating states waive the nonresident tuition differential for a limited number of uncommon and distinctive graduate degree programs. In addition to increasing access, the designers of the Regional Graduate Programs sought to decrease the likelihood that states would develop highly specialized programs comparable to those available elsewhere.

The current list of RGP programs, after nomination rounds in 1980, 1981, and 1983, includes sixty programs from twenty-four institutions in Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. This list will be further expanded for fall 1986 by a fourth round of nominations that includes Arizona and Colorado (the latter subject to certain needed approvals). Under policies established by the advisory committee to the Regional Graduate Programs, a doctoral-level institution may offer only eight and a masters-level institution only four programs in RGP. Approximately fifty students received waivers of nonresident tuition in academic year 1983-84.

The Regional Graduate Programs differ from the Professional Student Exchange Program in several important ways:

- No support fees are paid by sending states; participating states agree to waive the nonresident tuition differential for qualified students. Private institutions reduce tuition by at least one-fourth.
- Students apply directly to the graduate program in which they are interested, eliminating the need for WICHE or state agencies to become involved in selecting students.
- In the nomination process, all graduate institutions in the participating states, as well as state higher education governing and coordinating agencies, participate in the discussion that culminates in program selection. The process is a regional consultation.

The Regional Graduate Programs brochure, which lists all programs and institutional contacts, is available from the Graduate Education Project, WICHE, P.O. Drawer P, Boulder, Colorado 80302; for other inquiries contact Richard A. Markwood, Senior Staff Associate (303) 497-0220.

Graduate programs are available in the following curriculum areas:

Agriculture and Natural Resources
Architecture
Biological Sciences
Business and Law
Education and Criminal Justice
Engineering
Forestry
Health Professions
Home Economics
Humanities
Interdisciplinary Areas
P.E. and Human Movement Studies
Physical Sciences, Mathematics
Social Sciences
Social Work, Psychology, and Public Affairs
Visual and Performing Arts

Community College Student Exchange Program

The Community College Student Exchange Program provides opportunity for eligible students in three cooperating states--Idaho, Montana, Wyoming--to attend an out-of-state community college at resident tuition rates. The program is open to students under either of two concepts:

1. Closest College: The community college closest to the student's home is located in an adjoining state; its entire curriculum is available to eligible students.

2. Regional Curricula: The college designates certain programs as regional, open at resident tuition to students in the cooperating states. Some of the twelve participating colleges extend resident tuition rates to residents of other WICHE states (or to all nonresidents) and to curricula in addition to those designated as Regional.

In the current year nearly 150 students from WICHE states are enrolled in the college nearest their homes, but located in other states, by virtue of this program; another 60, residing in six WICHE states, are enrolled in designated regional curricula.

A brochure concerning the program is made available by WICHE for distribution by the colleges and, through WICHE, to high schools in the cooperating states.

TABLE 6

CCSEP Nonresident Tuition Waivers Granted, Fall 1984

PARTICIPATING STATES/SCHOOLS	Closest College					Regional Curricula					Totals				
	ID	MT	WY	OTHER	TOTAL	ID	MT	WY	OTHER	TOTAL	ID	MT	WY	OTHER	TOTAL
IDAHO															
College of So. ID	-	0	0	17*	17	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	17*	17
North ID College	-	47	2	0	49	-	19	0	0	19	-	66	2	0	68
MONTANA															
Dawson Comm. College	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0
Flathead Valley	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0
Miles Comm. College	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0	-	1	0	1
WYOMING															
Casper College	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
Central WY College	0	0	-	0	0	3	2	-	**	5	3	2	-	**	5
Eastern WY College	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
Laramie County	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
Northwest Community	0	76	-	0	76	3	4	-	6***	13	3	80	-	6***	89
Sheridan College	0	6	-	0	6	0	22	-	0	22	0	28	-	0	28
Western WY College	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
TOTAL	0	129	2	17	148	6	47	1	6	60	6	176	3	23	208

* From Nevada
** Institution does not charge nonresident tuition for any out-of-state student. Count of other nonresidents not presently available.
*** From CA-1, CO-3, OR-1, TX-1

Mineral Engineering Program

Through WICHE's Mineral Engineering Program, baccalaureate degree programs in geological, metallurgical, mining and petroleum engineering and in mineral processing are available to residents of WICHE states at in-state tuition in six public institutions--Alaska, Arizona, Idaho, Montana, Nevada and Wyoming.

In 1984-85, 45 students from 9 WICHE states are being assisted through the program at the College of Mines, University of Arizona, the Montana College of Mineral Science and Technology, and the University of Wyoming (see table). A brochure describing the program is available through WICHE.

Mineral Engineering Program Enrollments, 1984-85

School	AK	AZ	CA	CO	ID	NV	UT	WA	WY	TOTAL
AZ									1	1
MT	1	1			8	4	1	1	8	24
WY	3	3	1	6		2	3	2		20
Totals	4	4	1	6	8	6	4	3	9	45

Scholars Program

WICHE Scholars provides a mechanism through which a WICHE state may, subject to state authorization and funding, extend tuition assistance to residents studying out of state in programs not available in the other formal exchange programs. WICHE makes arrangements with participating institutions and transmits state assistance payments to the receiving schools. In 1984-85, Wyoming is supporting 36 WICHE scholars.

WICHE

Improving Education In The West

WICHE, the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, is a nonprofit regional organization. It helps the thirteen member states to work together to provide high-quality, cost-effective programs to meet the education and manpower needs of the West. Member states are Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

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